

July 16, 1993

Mr. Michael Gilbert U.S Environmental Protection Agency Region II 26 Federal Plaza New York, New York 10278

Re: Surface Water Discharge Alternatives

Dear Mr. Gilbert:

This letter is in response to your request regarding the potential routing and feasibility of the construction of a pipeline to the Delaware River, under the Surface Water Discharge Alternatives identified in the Feasibility Study Report.

A review of the area maps indicates that the east and west stream areas may provide potential routing avenues for a discharge line. However, due to engineering and access considerations the feasibility of these routes cannot be determined at this time. Therefore, the Surface Water Discharge alternative incorporated both the Delaware River and the east or west streams. Accordingly, it is advisable that the Proposed Plan does not restrict the selection of the actual discharge point; permitting the evaluation of the engineering and access considerations.

Very truly yours,

Stephen W. Holt